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SERIAL NO: 10/553,721 :  
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FOR: DATA ACCESS, REPLICATION OR :  
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM  
COMPRISING A DISTRIBUTED  
SOFTWARE APPLICATION

AMENDMENT 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.